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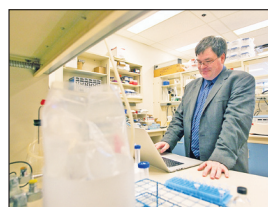
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Angelica Blenich Staff

# Lawsuit returns \$100K award

Decision ends years of  
legal wrangling between  
fire chief and Highlands  
East councillors

Angelica Blenich  
Staff reporter

A years-long lawsuit launched by former Highlands East fire chief Don Middleton against the municipality, Reeve Dave Burton, and former deputy-reeve Jim Mackie and former councillor Gary Stoughton has been decided.

On Feb. 1, Superior Court Justice James McNamara awarded Middleton \$107,818 in damages, ruling he was wrongfully dismissed.

The decision was made following a trial in

Belleville last September and December, where defendants Burton, Mackie and Stoughton testified, along with other members of the municipality and the public.

The municipality fired Middleton on Feb. 20, 2007, following a closed session of council, with a final vote of 3-2.

The breakdown of damages awarded to Middleton was \$100,000 in damages and \$7,818 in costs. **see FINALLY page 2**



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# 'Finally it's clear that I was not treated fairly': Middleton

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Middleton include \$72,218 in damages for wrongful dismissal, \$30,000 in aggravated damages and \$5,600 in restoration damages, for the cost of repairing the former fire chief's truck.

"There were a number of aggravating factors that made the manner of dismissal unfair," the judge wrote in his decision. These factors include that Middleton received no procedural fairness, he was not paid his statutory minimums, he was dismissed without cause and there was no evidence to support that he did not meet the expectations of his position.

The aggravated damages were awarded because "the plaintiff suffered mental distress beyond normal distress and hurt feelings from dismissal," according to McNamara.

Middleton was not awarded any punitive damages as McNamara found there was insufficient evidence demonstrating the defendant's conduct as being harsh, vindictive, reprehensible and malicious in nature.

"There is no evidence of any meetings between the three named defendants where they conspired to dismiss the plaintiff [Middleton], but rather it appears from the evidence that they all came to the same conclusion that he had to go for the reasons given in their evidence ... witness after witness at the trial gave evidence to the effect

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**... none of [the witnesses] had the impression that it was anything personal ...**

— Justice James McNamara

that during attendances at various council meetings where the issue of dismissal was discussed, none of them had the impression that it was anything personal between those defendants and the plaintiff," wrote McNamara in his decision.

Middleton, 52, was seeking \$250,000 in damages for wrongful dismissal and \$500,000 for aggravated and punitive damages from the municipality.

Issues and allegations that came up during the trial included surveillance installed in Highlands East's fire halls by Middleton, as per council's request, the sale of alcohol out of fire halls and comments and statements made during the campaign period leading up to the 2006 municipal election.

"I was pleased with the judgment handed down on Feb. 1, 2013, just a few weeks short

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**I'm happy it's behind us. Let's move forward.**

— Highlands East Reeve  
Dave Burton

of six years," Middleton told the paper. "Finally it's clear that I was not treated fairly by the accused and [in part] the judge has set the record straight with his ruling following 10 days in a Belleville courtroom. It is very unfortunate the municipality has to pay for the mistakes created by employees and council even with the benefit of legal advice."

Despite being pleased with the judge's decision, the former fire chief was surprised he didn't get punitive damages.

"I'm somewhat surprised that there were a number of issues that weren't addressed that I thought the judge would take more of a stand on. The campaigning against me personally ... the sale of alcohol out of the fire halls ... there were a number of things there that came out in evidence during the trial that I thought the judge would give an opinion on, instead he decided to just stick with my termination," said Middleton.

Arguments made by the defendants included Burton believing the surveillance equipment was installed in a "sneaky" and "underhanded" manner, according to court documents.

Stoughton admitted to campaigning on firing Middleton.

The defendants maintained their concern with Middleton stemmed from an issue of closing one of the municipality's six fire halls, which was raised during the 2006 election campaign.

During testimony, Stoughton said "a lot of good times were destroyed" when Middleton sent around a new policy that prohibited the sale and consumption of alcohol in fire halls. On reflection, he said it was the right thing to do, according to court documents.

Burton believes the judge's decision was fair and didn't include any surprises.

"I think it was extremely fair," he said.

The reeve has not had any contact with Middleton or the former councillors since the ruling was released.

"I'm happy it's behind us, let's move forward. The judge has decided as far as I'm concerned, I think he made the right decision," said Burton.

According to court documents, Middleton's record of employment form stated "employee did not meet expectations of position."

Chief administrative officer for Highlands East Sharon Stoughton-Craig's explanation for using the words she did is she had received legal advice to that effect, according to court documents.

The judge stated that from the evidence presented, the three defendants never spoke directly to Middleton about the issue of surveillance, nor did it appear returning members of council or municipal staff disclosed full details of how the surveillance came to be.

"As admitted by a number of the witnesses, by the time of the meeting held on Feb. 20 it had already been determined that the plaintiff was going to be terminated and he was not even given a specific reason for his dismissal," said McNamara.

During the trial, "Mackie agreed with the suggestion that if he had known the surveillance had been done at the direction of the prior council, he probably would not have voted to terminate the chief but rather would have had a hard look at the CAO," the judgment reads.

Mackie withheld comment until the appeal period has passed. Stoughton likewise chose not to comment.

All involved parties have a 21-day period to submit their costs to the judge, including legal fees.

There is a 30-day period given where either side can file an appeal against the decision.

Middleton has yet to decide whether or not he will appeal the decision. In the meantime he is relieved the process is coming to an end.

His original lawsuit included *The Bancroft Times*, where he was seeking \$750,000 damages for defamation. An out-of-court settlement was reached with the *Bancroft Times* in 2009.

According to an article in the *Haliburton Echo*, "Middleton dropped his libel suit against the *Bancroft Times* and ... agreed to pay a modest sum to the newspaper."

Middleton filed his claim against Highlands East and members of council in April 2008, according to the *Echo*.

Middleton was hired as fire chief by the municipality in June 2003, when Keith Tallman served as the reeve. He was the first full-time fire chief hired by Highlands East, which had been recently amalgamated.

Since being let go, Middleton has sought employment as a fire chief elsewhere and has been unsuccessful, except for serving a temporary one-year contract in 2009.

At press time, Highlands East solicitor John Ewart was unable to clarify who is responsible for paying the damages awarded to Middleton.

Stoughton-Craig did not respond to a request asking for the solicitor's legal fees in relation to the lawsuit.

Ewart represented the municipality of Highlands East, while Burton, Mackie and Stoughton were represented by their own solicitors.



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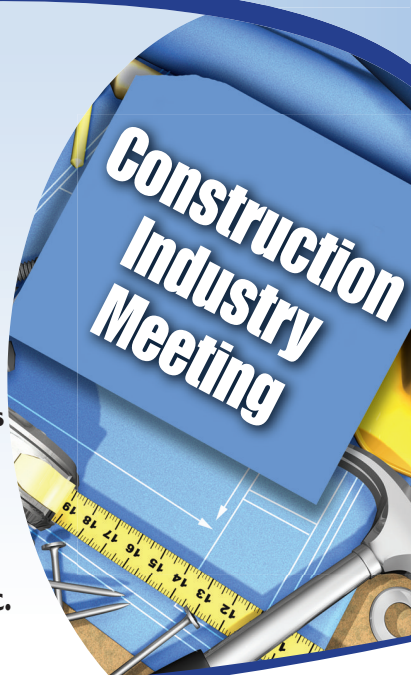
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School: Graduated Canadore College North Bay

Hobbies: hockey and hunting

**Name: Cassie Lee**

Age: 25

Hometown: Port Perry ON

School: Graduated from Durham College in Oshawa

Hobbies: boating, snowmobiling, ATV'ing, camping, running, travelling, golf.

**Name: Matthew Leach**

Age: 22

Hometown: Pembroke ON

School: Graduated from police foundations at Algonquin College in Ottawa Ontario 2010, OPP Auxiliary at OPP Upper Ottawa Valley Auxiliary Unit and coached Special Olympics

Hobbies: fishing, snowboarding, hockey, cars, and snowmobiling

**Stephen Pinatsis**

Age: 25

Hometown: Toronto ON

School: graduated Centennial College for police foundations and York University for Criminology.

Hobbies: hiking camping boating and fishing and all active sports



Darren Lum Staff

The Haliburton Highlands Detachment Central Region Ontario Provincial Police's newest constables Joel Imbeau, left, Cassie Lee, Matthew Leach and Stephen Pinatsis. Imbeau and Leach have been at the detachment since September, 2012 while Lee and Pinatsis started in January, 2013.

## County passes 2013 budget, taxes to increase less than 2 %

**Chad Ingram**

Staff reporter

Most Haliburton County residents will be looking at an upper tier property tax increase of just less than two per cent in 2013.

County councillors passed this year's budget at a special meeting on Feb. 6.

The budget contains approximately \$20.6 million in expenditures, \$12.5 million of which will come from taxes.

The levy increase over last year is 3.4 per cent, with approximately 1.4 per cent of that coming from growth and just less than two from existing properties.

Taking waterfront and non-waterfront properties into account, the average residential property in Haliburton County is valued at \$163,000. If the assessment on that property remained constant, it would mean an increase of \$10.27 for county purposes.

At a Jan. 23 meeting, councillors resolved to hire a new tourism director. Last year, \$80,000 had been pulled from that department's budget with the spring retirement of former director Bob Smith.

Money has been found within the budget to help pay the wages of a new director once one is hired.

Funds for a \$30,000 aerial photography project in the planning department were moved for the purpose.

In the tourism department, \$6,000 was removed from the tourism strategic development plan and \$10,000 from a county branding initiative.

That money has been moved to the advertising line but allows for flexibility for other purposes.

More than \$2.5 million of county tax will come from Algonquin Highlands; more than \$4.7 million from Dysart et al; more than \$1.7 from Highlands East; and more than \$3.3 million from Minden Hills.

Roads comprise 43 per cent of the budget; health costs 23; social services and housing 14; MPAC expenses five per

cent; library expenses four per cent; administration three per cent; tourism two; planning two; broadband Internet expansion one per cent; and other expenses three per cent of the budget.

At Wednesday's meeting, treasurer Laura Janke said there will be a deficit of at least \$25,000 and that the county had just received a large bill in the roads department.

It will be paid through working fund reserves.

The county's reserves are sitting around \$2.5 million, the lowest they've been since 2007, but the county is also debt-free for the first time in a decade.

The education tax rate is dropping four per cent for the year, from \$221 per \$100,000 of residential assessment to \$212 per \$100,000 of residential assessment.

In Minden Hills, taxpayers are likely looking at a 1.7 tax increase. Coupled with 1.3 per cent growth, it's on course for a three per cent levy increase for the year.

Budget discussions there will continue this month, as they will in Algonquin Highlands, Dysart et al and Highlands East.



# Men targeted for alcohol reduction programming

Jenn Watt  
Editor

Men are at greater risk for alcohol related injury and disease across the province, and in the local area that's no different.

According to statistics recently released by the Haliburton Kawartha Pine Ridge District Health Unit, about 40 per cent of men in this region self-reported drinking above low-risk guidelines, compared to 22 per cent of women in the period between 2007 and 2010.

"The data indicates men are at higher risk," Anne Marie Holt, manager of epidemiology and evaluation, says.

"They report that they drink more and heavier. We also observe more injuries for men related to use as well."

Public health officials have established low-risk drinking guidelines for men and women to minimize alcohol-related disease, injury and dangerous behaviour.

For women they advise no more than two drinks a day most days, for men it's no more than three drinks.

On special occasions, women should try to drink less than three drinks and men should drink no more than four.

Men also tend to suffer the consequences of drinking more.

"Males were twice as likely as females to be hospitalized from all causes [of alcohol-



Graphic by Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse

Low-risk drinking guidelines were established to give Canadians a benchmark for how much alcohol can be consumed in one time period with relatively little risk.

related chronic disease]" from 2006 to 2010, the health unit's In Focus Alcohol report says.

Marjorie Oke, program co-ordinator at the health unit, said the difference between men's and women's drinking behaviour is concerning and has been targeted by programming.

"Males are more likely to be risk takers, so they're more likely to be involved in activities where there is risk taking," Oke said.

That includes riding ATVs and snowmobiles while intoxicated, she said.

Both Holt and Oke identified sports as potential breeding grounds for over-drinking.

"[Men are] more likely to be involved in sports leagues - hockey in particular

- where you're often hearing talk about drinking taking place," Oke said.

To curb that effect, preliminary steps have been taken to remind those most likely to abuse alcohol to ease up.

"We're targeting that young males - 19 to 24 - with the one drink website [www.one-2manydrinks.ca]. Along with the website, we've run a campaign at the Frost campus of Sir Sandford Fleming College ... where we were targeting young men entering the community college system," she said.

Problem drinking isn't just affecting men, however. "In 2009, the majority ... of students (grade 7 to 12) in HKPR district reported they drank alcohol in the last year," the report says. "Approximately one quarter ... of students in grade 7 to 12 in HKPR dis-

trict reported having had five or more alcoholic drinks on the same occasion in the last four weeks."

Oke cautions that just because the statistics show a quarter of high school kids binge drink, that doesn't mean that number can be applied to every school.

"You can't say that 25 per cent of those students are binge drinking on a regular basis," she said.

Results in the HKPR region are similar to those Ontario-wide. Where they differ, Holt said, it is likely because the sample size in this health unit is small, which exaggerates results.

The report points to several policy solutions including making alcohol more expensive, making it harder to find, reducing marketing of alcohol, increasing education and putting in early intervention practices.

The report also notes that there is no "safe" amount of alcohol to be drinking.

"The increased risk of cancer associated with alcohol typically begins with low levels of consumption," it reads. "Hence, when it comes to cancer risk, no 'safe limit' of alcohol consumption has been established."

The report also reflects positives in prevention. A large majority of respondents believed that no amount of alcohol was safe during pregnancy and the number of those drinking and driving remains relatively low at 6.9 per cent.

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# Preserving wetlands presents opportunities

**Government partnership will identify wetlands as critical part of Ontario's ecosystem**

**Jenn Watt**  
Editor

Haliburton County's wetlands don't face the same threats as those in southern Ontario, but efforts still should be made to protect them, Ducks Unlimited Canada's head of government relations Julie Caley says.

Caley said the announcement of a 15-year partnership between Ducks Unlimited Canada (DUC) and the provincial government will put wetlands on the map as a critical part of Ontario's ecosystem.

In Haliburton County, there some 60,000 acres of wetlands, according to DUC.

"If you don't have things you see as threats ... it gives you a better opportunity to protect what you've got," Caley said, referring to the encroaching development and agricultural land to the south.

There are two local chapters of DUC in the county - one in Haliburton and

another in Minden.

Haliburton will celebrate the chapter's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary on Oct. 26 at a fundraising dinner.

Jerry Walker, DUC national board member and founding member of Haliburton's chapter, said the organization has been active locally.

"As far as Haliburton County, over the last number of years, there have been 27 Ducks Unlimited habitat projects within a 50 kilometre radius," he said.

Every year, about \$20,000 is raised at DUC dinners at local chapters and more than \$600,000 has been spent on local projects.

Most recently, DUC was brought in to consult on the boardwalk connecting Minden's Riverwalk to the library and cultural centre.

The boardwalk takes users through a vibrant wetland and DUC was able to provide assistance in the planning stages.

"DU helped out with some expertise on that. We have a whole line of biologists and experts in wetlands," Walker said.

While the plan with the province is more policy-driven in nature - including a five year commitment for DUC to work with the Ministry of Natural Resources reviewing the province's wetland policy - Caley suggests that preservation work

can take place anytime, pointing to her organization's municipal extension program.

"It's been a fun program for us and it's unique. It's great because it empowers municipalities to go above and beyond for themselves," she said.

Wetlands act as buffer areas, recharging water, providing a home for all types of animals and preventing erosion.

Walker said at the national level, DUC is focusing on the benefits of wetlands to ecosystems.

Their function cleansing water and preventing flooding need to be highlighted, he said.

"They're like a kidney for waters," Walker said, giving the example of the marsh area in Haliburton's industrial park.

That wetland could act as a buffer region should any polluted water wash down from the landfill before it enters Lake Kashagawigamog, he said.

Seventy-two per cent of the province's wetlands have already been lost.

Caley calls Haliburton County the "fringe" of the southern Ontario zone where so much has been lost.

The goal of DUC is to restore as much as is lost - a no net loss approach.

"We understand there are other pres-

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**It's been a fun program for us and it's unique. It's great because it empowers municipalities to go above and beyond for themselves.**

— Julie Caley,  
Ducks Unlimited Canada

sures that are going to win every now and then," Caley said.

"In those cases, what we'd like to see is a compensating restoration of a wetland somewhere else."

At this stage of the agreement with Ontario, no specific wetlands have been identified for preservation.

This year marks the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Ducks Unlimited Canada.

Haliburton's fundraising dinner is Oct. 26, while Minden's is May 4 at the community centre.

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Forever in our memories: Creighton Feir

## Mark on community

SIX YEARS AFTER fire chief Don Middleton was fired without cause by Highlands East council, a lawsuit seeking damages has returned a ruling placing some blame on the municipality.

Highlands East wrongfully dismissed their fire chief, the Superior Court justice said in his ruling last week.

They bungled the process.

They caused emotional distress.

On these things the judge agreed with the plaintiff; however, he did not support Middleton's other allegation – that councillors conspired to have him fired because of personal vendettas.

Both sides could claim victory from this ruling.

Who doesn't come out victorious, however, is the community of Highlands East.

The judgment is rife with embarrassing tidbits: liquor being openly sold at the fire hall; firefighters reportedly drinking and driving; a campaign promise to fire someone; a volunteer firefighter siphoning gasoline from public trucks; council setting up surveillance on its own volunteers; councillors who cannot remember critical conversations in closed session about someone's livelihood.

There is also the underlying theme that life would be hard for Middleton as an outsider.



**Jenn Watt**  
Editor

"The plaintiff [Middleton] agreed that, prior to taking the job in Highlands East, he had sought the advice of a couple of senior officers that he knew at his then department,"

court documents read, "He confirmed he got some insight as to what it would be like to be a fire chief, as an outsider, brought in to a small community."

These shameful disclosures by witnesses and defendants unfairly reflect on the entire community.

Luckily, though the judgment is recent, the events are long over.

Highlands East is not the place it was in 2007 and many of the changes lamented at the time (removing alcohol from the fire halls, for instance) have made for a safer municipality today.

Several council members are recent additions to the community, showing that Middleton's perception that outsiders won't be tolerated is either inaccurate or has changed.

And, certainly, after going through this prolonged court battle, the municipality is better equipped to handle disciplinary procedure with employees.

This lawsuit has long been a mark against Highlands East, but time and wise decisions have already done much to erase that mark.



Haliburton horizon

photo by Darren Lum

## Not so hungry

THIS WEEK, I had the opportunity to speak to representatives from several archery manufacturers and importers regarding the industry. The big story was the sale of traditional bows.

They are literally flying off the shelf because of a movie called *The Hunger Games*.

As hard as it is to believe this has rekindled an interest in archery and some of that will eventually find its way into bowhunting.

The problem is that the movie is about using bows to shoot at people. And, until a new world order emerges in which we have blood matches for public entertainment, I can't see this happening any time soon. Our society, after all, frowns upon these things.

Besides, it's obvious that the writers of these shows and movies have never actually fumbled with a bow. If they had they would have known that even the best archers can't shoot that accurately when they are dodging arrows. Heck, if they tried to keep the screenplay true to life, we'd see our hero running out of arrows in the first scene without harming a single soul.

And what about the laws? Remember them?

I could just see it. Cause you just know that a conservation officer would show up in the middle of a battle and stop everything.

"I see you have a bow and hunting arrows sir," the CO would say.

"Ah, yes officer," our hero would respond, "I'm kind of busy now though. I'm in the middle of undoing a terrible wrong. These people are hunting me. So, if you'll excuse me..."

"Uh, sure," the CO would say, "Could you please put the bow down and show me your hunting licence?"

"You don't understand," our hero would say. "I'm in the middle of a battle for life or death. They're trying to kill me."

"Look sir, the big game seasons for deer, moose, elk and bear are closed, so unless you can show me a small game licence and

proof that you are out here looking for legal game, I think you have a worse problem than undoing a terrible wrong."

"I don't have one. I was only allowed to choose a few things that would help me survive these Hunger Games."

"Well, sir, maybe you should have chosen a valid outdoors card and hunting licence. I'm going to have to write you up and confiscate your gear."

"You do realize you are killing me, right," our hero would say.

"The law is the law," the CO would respond. "By the way, did you say there were other people out here hunting too?"

Yes, if they depicted the story in that way, things would be different. In fact we probably wouldn't sell any bows at all. But at least everyone would make sure they always carried their hunting licences.



**Steve Galea**  
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# points of view

## The first winter

LINDA WATCHED WITH A SHIVER as the snow swept past her window like a hurrying ghost. Glad to be indoors on this blustery, stormy night, she held her mug of coffee and watched the weather swirling around her yard. The house was warm though the odd draft managed to sneak around the patio doors.

Linda doubted the woodstove had ever worked as hard as it had the last week and she watched in dismay as her supply of firewood took a major hit. Although she had the furnace for backup, she disliked its noisy, rattling blasts of air. Still, she knew she was lucky to have it.

It had not always been so. In another life Linda had struggled to keep herself and her small family warm through what had seemed to be an interminable winter. Green as a new leaf, she had decided country life offered a fresh start and so had moved into an old house on a country back road. The setting seemed to offer what she had been craving: a forest setting, wildlife at her doorstep and the quiet of wind through pine trees and moonlight on snow.



**Sharon Lynch**  
Down our Road

But as it turned out, all was not as it seemed. The house was in worse shape than she realized. It was cold. Very cold. Poorly constructed with cheap materials, the winter whistled and sneezed around the windows and doors. The only heat source was

an airtight wood stove in the main living area and an ancient little one by the back door. This latter stove was topped with a thin, uninsulated pipe and years later she shuddered at its location beside the only exit. In case of fire, she, the children and pets would have had to squeeze out through a window.

Unsafe stove and drafty walls aside, the biggest challenge had been the firewood that went into both stoves. It was probably as green as Linda. When she had bought it, she had been assured it was well-seasoned and affordable. Linda had even helped unload it, provided and delivered as it was by a friend of Linda's landlord. Then, to make matters worse, she had packed the huge slabs of green wood into a slanting shed, thinking this would protect it from the elements. She hadn't realized the open air would have seasoned it even a little. And a little would have helped. Anything would have helped.

Instead Linda the city girl had chopped and split oversized green firewood very, very slowly as the wind blew and numbed her mercilessly in the winter darkness. When eventually reduced to manageable size, she had then spent literally hours coaxing it to burn. Even the kindling had been green, hissing like a snake as the meagre flames licked cautiously around it.

Being an early riser by temperament had proven useful that first winter. Linda had set the alarm so every morning she had an hour to bring the house's temperature up before waking the children for school. The dog and cat had slept on the children's beds and thank goodness for that. For herself, layers of clothing and blankets had weighted her sleep each night.

The second winter was better. The house remained the same but the firewood was much improved. A reliable supplier of good wood in pieces sized appropriately and piled where the air could circulate around it had changed everything. No longer so tied to such a time-consuming and frustrating situation, Linda had been able to escape the house now and then. Donning snowshoes she had explored the forest and the animal tracks that crisscrossed her path. Had this not been possible, her new-found country life might have been cut short.

By the third winter they were all in better digs. While still off the beaten track, Linda had found a warm and solid home that proved to be an excellent base on which to build a new life for herself and the children. There was still the ubiquitous wood stove of course. Wryly calling herself a glutton for punishment, Linda had nonetheless fallen in love with the quiet, sensory-pleasing qualities of this rural lifestyle. For it was indeed a lifestyle, with its own requirements and rewards.

Now some 30 years later she enjoyed the luxury of a safe and warm vantage spot to sit and watch winter storming all around her. Let it blow and howl, Linda thought. Like the third little pig, she knew it could not blow her house down.



pic of the past

Former reeve and warden of Haliburton W.R. Curry, drops the puck to start the first hockey game in the new Haliburton Arena. Fred Neiman, a Haliburton hockey worker since 1932, assisted in the ceremony. The hockey players are Brain Black of Haliburton, left, and Ed Peconi of Woodville. Submitted.

## letters to the editor

### Food for thought

To the Editor,

For some time now, inflationary grocery prices in the county of Haliburton have taken priority and dominate everyday conversation. Consumers' comments and opinions are many and are well documented on the pages of the local newspapers to no avail.

In my opinion, the ongoing rhetoric to date, in the above-mentioned format, has been unsuccessful. Its content has been confined to consumers expressing their dissatisfaction only, it contains no dialogue expressing a what-can-we-do approach to resolve their dissatisfaction with inflated grocery prices in the county of Haliburton.

With all due respect to my fellow readers, I ask, why the word boycott is not to be found?

Some might say "a lost cause." Aren't the lost causes the only causes worthy of pursuit? If we're not part of the solution collectively, we're part of the problem.

Consider the following: As a senior citizen on a fixed income, I've scrutinized grocery prices for some time now, utilizing Toronto and Haliburton as a yardstick. To me, the disparity is appalling! Consider the following prices from an early January 2013 trip to Toronto.

New York striploin steak: Toronto, \$17/kil; Haliburton, \$30.15/kil; 77 per cent more.

see PRICE page 8

### Volunteers work quietly

To the Editor,

Your pages have recently been full of the value of volunteers; we know that mobilizing huge community support is what makes events that put us on the map possible, and is also one of the characteristics of our community that makes us proud to live here.

I would like to pay tribute to a particular volunteer, Frank Thom, who conceptualized and implemented a calendar project, featuring his photography of local beauty. This is the second year he has done this, and once again it brought a nice-sized cheque to Places for People, one of five charities that benefited from Frank's talent and hard work. Our thanks to him for his initiative and perseverance, which made this possible.

I am reminded of George Elliot's final words on the life of Dorthea, in *Middlemarch*: "But the effect of her being on those around her was incalculably diffusive: for the growing good of the world is partly dependent on unhistoric acts; and that things are not so ill with you and me as they might have been, is half owing to the number who lived faithfully a hidden life, and rest in unvisited tombs." Let's hear it for those who toil quietly and with no fanfare for the betterment of us all!

Fay Martin,  
Minden



# letters

## Price comparisons

from page 7

Canola oil (three litre): Toronto, \$4.99 each; Haliburton, \$8.49 each; 71 per cent more.

Dempsters whole wheat bread: Toronto, \$1.79 each; Haliburton, \$3.39 each; 89 per cent more.

Lemons: Toronto, 40 cents each; Haliburton, 75 cents each; 87 per cent more.

In my opinion, I agree, shipping costs have risen, however, not enough to justify the above inflated mark-ups.

**B. Thompson**  
Haliburton County

### Love is in the air

Last year Gus MacInnes found this heart-shaped potato in a bag from the grocery store. He prepared this romantic scene for his wife.

Submitted by Gus MacInnes



## On not being famous

I don't think I ever want to be famous. No sir, not for me.

Last month, I sat with great anticipation ready to watch Lance Armstrong in what will be one of the most infamous interviews of our time.

From the word go – out came the direct questions and out came the direct repeated answer, yes. Lance admitted to his

doping adventure during his quest to become the greatest cyclist in the world. As far as I was concerned, it was over after five minutes. The guy did wrong and he admitted he was a jerk. How crushing.

Look what fame brings you. You work so hard at reaching goals, reaching for the top, victory, over and over and some-

thing seems to take over. Is it momentum? Is it glory? Is it the attention? Heroism? Where's the line between self-satisfaction and fame? When does modesty go out the window? Look at me, I am unique, I am different, I am special and I can soar!

You can soar all right – right off the cliff with a progressive spiral downward. It just seems to me that as you start reaching all these incredible goals and accomplishments, there is a lot of work to maintain balance in your life and keep connected with the other "shmucks" around you. Then there is the balance between artificial and real.

I guess what I am trying to say is whatever goals you have in your life and once they are accomplished and you continue to climb higher and higher, don't forget where you came from.

You reach an "ah-ha" moment, you gain wealth, you gain momentum, popularity and it must become very addictive. Some people will do anything to be the victorious one, to be the one at the top, to be the consistent winner and never lose. Then it begins, the drugs, the alcohol, the depression, and bang - next thing you hear is – how I found my way back, or how I kicked my habits, how I found my inner-self again or how I regained by family, friends and focus.

Sounds like a lot of attention, a lot of work and a lot of drama in one lifetime.

Nope, not for me. Even though I have days of struggling with my identity, it's really not too hard to figure out if you just look around yourself and pull together what is really important.

Boy, I still have a hard enough time trying to figure out what vitamins I should be taking, certainly not whose blood I will be injecting into myself. Or trouble with what foods won't give me cancer, what exercise won't wreck my joints, or how many glasses of wine I can drink on a daily basis that won't contribute to my belly fat. It's a tough enough job trying to keep healthy or trying to keep my nest egg safe from a market crash. Why throw fame on top of that!

Give me my kayak on the lake, my soulmate to hug, my conversations with my comical grandchildren and give me my own children who bring me satisfaction and continued happiness into my life. That's my fame, that's my glory. I remain on a constant continued steady stream.

And you can take that any way you want. Famous or not famous.

**Jo-ann Sloan**  
Esson Lake

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# County councillors cost taxpayers \$100, 000

**Chad Ingram**  
Staff reporter

County council cost taxpayers just less than \$100,000 for 2012.

The county's finance and correspondence committee received a report on councillors' expenses for last year during a Feb. 6 meeting.

With per diem payments of \$9,820 and \$108.06 in mileage, expenses for Minden

Hills Deputy-reeve Cheryl Murdoch were \$9,928.06.

Highlands East Reeve Dave Burton received \$9,215 per diem and \$1,026.62 in mileage for a total of \$10,241.62.

Highlands East Deputy-reeve Suzanne Partridge collected \$9,600 in per diem payments, \$1,559 in mileage and \$112.57 in other expenses for \$11,271.57.

With per diem at \$10,260 and mileage at \$1,225.79, expenses for Dysart et al Deputy-reeve Bill Davis were \$11,485.79.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid received \$10,140 in per diem payments, \$603.71 for mileage and \$1,303.96 for expenses for a total of \$12,047.67.

Algonquin Highlands Reeve Carol Mofatt had a total of \$12,631.37 in expenses, including \$11,800 in per diem payments and \$831.37 in mileage.

Algonquin Highlands Deputy-reeve Liz Danielsen received \$10,960 in per diem, \$2,280.52 for mileage and \$117.07 in other expenses for a total of \$13,357.59.

Dysart et Reeve and last year's county warden Murray Fearrey was paid \$17,015 in per diem payments, \$875.31 for mileage and \$707.46 in other expenses for a total of \$18,597.77.

Total expenses for council were \$99,560.

Per diem and mileage payments for the county's four-member library board totalled approximately \$3,085.

Costs for the land division committee were approximately \$3,217 and for the accessibility committee approximately \$1,726.

## Get ready for poker run



**Darren Lum** Staff

Above, Pete Cundall, an outdoor educator with the Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Reserve, stops on MacDonald Lake watching a dogsled tour go by on Wed. Feb. 6.

Right, a snowmobiler drives across MacDonald Lake at the Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Reserve on Wednesday, Feb. 6. This Saturday, Feb. 16, the Forest will host the Snowmobile Poker Run, which raises money for the Dysart Fire Department. In 24 years the event has raised more than \$150,000. The fee is \$50 per person plus HST. Top prize is a new snowmobile. See [www.haliburtonforest.com](http://www.haliburtonforest.com) for more information.





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# Annual auction celebrates Chinese New Year

**Angelica Blenich**  
Staff reporter

There were no bargains to be had at the 27<sup>th</sup> annual Haliburton Rotary Club Auction on Feb. 9 at the Haliburton Legion.

The charity event raises funds for the service club, which is responsible for many community projects and contributing to local organizations, such as Food for Kids and the Volunteer Dental Outreach clinic.

Projects the club has lined up for this year include the revitalization of the Head Lake Park bandshell and the installation of a new clock on Highland Street, to tie in with the recent streetscape project.

About 160 people turned out for the club's largest fundraising auction to date, which featured flying dragons to tie in with the theme of Chinese New Year.

Touches of Asian flare were prominent throughout the event, including fortune cookies and Chinese food take-out containers, used for the raffle.

Funds were raised through a silent, live and loonie auction as well as a raffle, with master of ceremonies Mike Jaycock steering the event.

"This is a charity auction and no place to get a bargain," joked Rotarian Ted Brandon.



**Angelica Blenich** Staff

The 27<sup>th</sup> annual Haliburton Rotary Club Auction held at the Haliburton Legion on Feb. 9 included a live, silent, loonie auction and raffle. Proceeds from the fundraiser go to support the service club, which undertakes many projects throughout the community. Plans for next year include a new town clock and a revitalized bandshell.



Left and above, paddles were up in the air for 20 live auction items.



Held during the weekend of Chinese New Year, the 27<sup>th</sup> annual Haliburton Rotary Club Auction tied in with the theme, incorporating Chinese food take-out boxes, fortune cookies and flying dragons, to commemorate the year of the dragon. The take-out containers were used for the raffle prizes.



## Warm winter voices

**Angelica Blenich** Staff  
Norris Turner, front, of the Highlands Male Chorus performs *Candle on the Water* during Winter Encore at the Haliburton United Church on Feb. 10.



Barry Wilhelm delivers a note during the Highlands Male Chorus performance of Winter Encore at the Haliburton United Church on Feb. 10, 2013. The afternoon concert directed by Melissa Stephens included many spiritual songs and harmony filled hymns, along with contemporary songs such as The Beatles' *Here Comes the Sun*.



# Investigation examining gaps in service for disabled people

**Angelica Blenich**  
Staff reporter

If someone in your family has a developmental disability Community Living wants to hear from you.

An investigation has begun to determine if those with a disability are receiving the services they need.

In Haliburton, Community Living, an organization that integrates those with developmental disabilities into the community, has sent out information packages.

The agency is trying to find gaps in services and identify those who are not receiving necessary support.

"Our goal is we want to make sure the families in Haliburton have a chance to provide input that could help change the system," said Tim Tofflemire, community integration program lead for Community Living.

Conducted by the provincial Ombudsman, the investigation's findings will be brought to the Ministry of Community and Social Services.

Tofflemire said there are many ways services could be improved, pointing to Asperger's syndrome as an example of a condition that often gets overlooked.

"Those with Asperger's have their support until they're 18 through the school system but if Developmental Services Ontario determines they don't qualify for service, because their IQ is too high or something like that, then there's no services for them," said Tofflemire.

"And then they don't qualify for our services and the parents are on their own."

The organization helps those who are over 18, when service levels typically drop.

"You want to get a transition plan in place to transition these kids into adult services if they qualify ... in some cases at age 18 there's nothing."

The hope is the investigation will produce service improvement and more funding from the ministry, said Tofflemire.

"A lot of the systems in place seem to hold up the process," he said, pointing to the DSO intake process.

The investigation is in response families' complaints to the Ontario Ombudsman's office about loved ones with a disability who were at risk of a crisis situation.

According to a press release, complaints have increased from 35 in 2010 to more than 60 in 2012.

Representatives of Community Living estimate there are about 95 to 105 people with intellectual disabilities in the county.

The organization is aware of 85 and is assisting about 70 of those people.

The information packages are available to all of those who have family members with a disability and not just those involved with the organization.

"The role we're taking is to help co-ordinate with the families to make sure they can get their points across," said Tofflemire.

Families are encouraged to contact Community Living for more information about the process, or to set up a time to meet with a representative.

For more information contact Patti Babineau at 705-457-2626 ext. 22.

The investigation will be completed by the fall of this year.



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— Tim Tofflemire  
Community Living

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# Haliburton's



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**Pancake Breakfast at the Haliburton Legion (\$)**

8 am—11 am

**Kids Pony Rides with South Algonquin Trails**

10:30 am—1 pm

**Horse Drawn Wagon Rides - Harry Hutchings**

11 am—3 pm

**Kids Dogsledding with Winterdance Tours**

1:30 pm—3:30 pm

**Maple Snow Taffy**

11:30 am

**Lasagna Dinner at the United Church (\$)**

4 pm—6 pm

**Polar Bear Challenge for Sick Kids**

12:30 pm registration and 1 pm plunge

**Haliburton District Lions Club BBQ at Head Lake Park**

from 12 to 3 pm



Come witness the Coronation of the Frost Festival Ambassador at 9:00 a.m. at the Legion.

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**Snowshoeing with Camp Wanakita**

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**Art Attack by Rails End Gallery**

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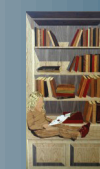
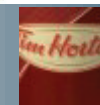
**Tim Bits and Hot Chocolate with Youth Unlimited**

10 am

**Crafts for Kids - Dysart Branch—Haliburton County Library**

1 pm

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# Researcher makes medical breakthrough

➤ Haliburton's Michael Sawyer leads team to create cancer screening test

**Angelica Blenich**  
Staff reporter

He was always a good student who liked science. Born and raised in Haliburton, Michael Sawyer didn't have an extraordinary upbringing, but his work has achieved exceptional results.

A professor at the University of Alberta, Sawyer has led a team of researchers in making a medical breakthrough in the field of pancreatic cancer.

Through a two-year research project, a highly accurate test has been created that helps doctors screen for pancreatic cancer.

Sawyer, 45, was born into one of the longest standing Haliburton families, with father Bruce working as a barber and mother Joan a nurse.

Graduating from Haliburton Highlands Secondary School in 1986, Sawyer went on to attend the University of Toronto where he studied pharmacy and went through medical school. He continued on to study at the University of Western Ontario and University of Chicago.

In total, Sawyer spent 15 years in post-secondary education.

Following his studies he was hired by the University of Alberta in 2001, where he took a position at the Cross Cancer Institute.

Working in the oncology department, Sawyer along with one of his graduate students, Dr. Vanessa Davis, collected 32 urine samples from patients undergoing pancreatic cancer surgery, all of which looked to have operable cancer, he said.

"We took the samples, which were just done at random ... and analyzed about 160 chemicals at once in the urine, which is a lot more than standard tests do," said Sawyer.

Done with a machine similar to an MRI scanner, the test can scan levels quickly, giving the researchers instant results.

By using urine test results from healthy patients, the team of doctors was able to use a computer algorithm to distinguish those who did and didn't have pancreatic cancer.

In terms of medical measurements, the results reached a sensitivity of 97 per cent and a specificity of 92 per cent.

"If you took a sample of 200 patients, it [the test] would find more or less 97 of the 100 people who had pancreatic cancer. At the same time it would also say that 92 of the 100 people who didn't have pancreatic cancer, didn't have the cancer," said Sawyer.

The success of the project means doctors can now more easily and quickly diagnose patients who have pancreatic cancer.

The test was designed to be used as a screening tool, since pancreatic cancer symptoms are difficult to pinpoint, according to Sawyer.

Symptoms can include abdominal pain, back pain and weight loss.

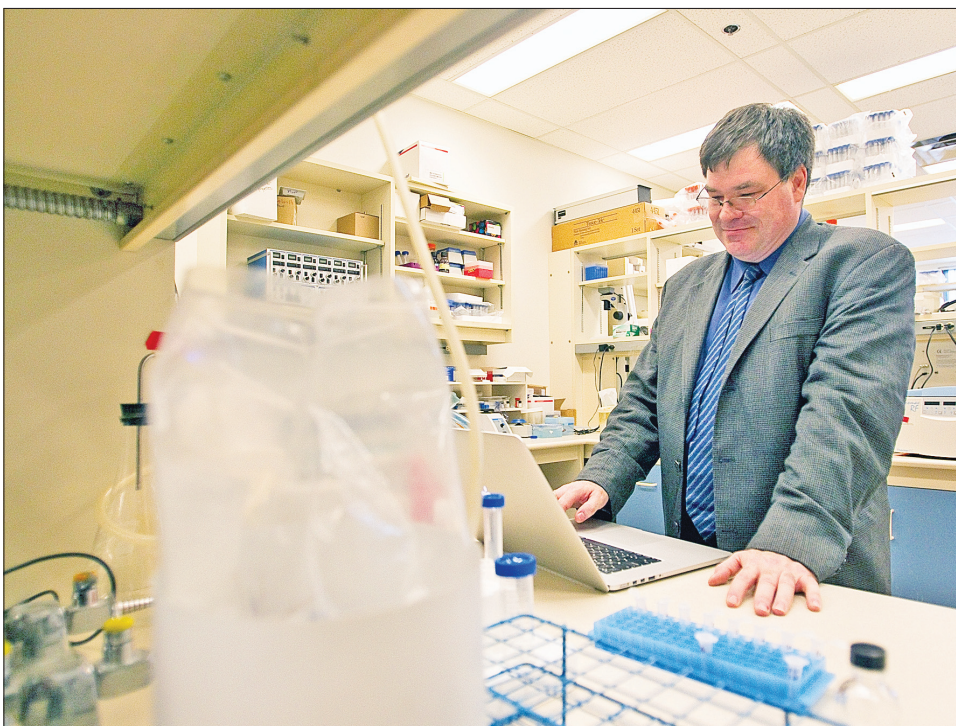
"That is why it is such a bad cancer, because people who have the symptoms can't always figure out what the symptoms relate to."

Not until patients start to experience signs of jaundice or other specific pains does the cause become more clear, said Sawyer.

The research project was sponsored by the Alberta Cancer Foundation, specifically one donor, Barbara Prodor.

"In her family, unfortunately, there have been multiple cases of pancreatic cancer, so she wished to make a donation and it was directed towards that," said Sawyer.

While the doctor was happy to oblige, he did warn Pro-



The University of Alberta's Dr. Michael Sawyer is the leader of a team that has pioneered a new method of detecting pancreatic cancer early in Edmonton, Alta. Sawyer was born and raised in Haliburton, where his parents still live.

**Ian Kucerak** QMI  
Agency

dor that all research doesn't work out as well as this project did.

"We won't hit one out of the ballpark quite like this every time," he said.

The results are going to be used by other researchers in the field to see if similar results can be found with additional types of cancer, such as stomach.

Sawyer is pretty thrilled with the results and is encouraged by the thought of how this will help those who have or may become victim to pancreatic cancer.

"I was reasonably certain this would work, but not everything you think should work does," he said.

Always a studious young man, a career in medicine is not where Sawyer saw himself when he was growing up.

"I didn't think I liked blood ... it was only later discovered that I wasn't bothered that much by it."

An only child, Sawyer travels back to Haliburton often to visit with his parents and extended family.

Parents Bruce and Joan are delighted with their son's success.

"We're very proud of him," said Joan.

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# Jake Hughes making global connections

Family of teen who died ATVing in Haliburton fulfils his travel wishes

**Victoria Gray**  
Special to the *Echo*

Jake Hughes may be gone, but thanks to his parents his spirit is still exploring the world.

The 19-year-old from Fonthill died last August as a result of an ATV accident in Haliburton.

His mother, Pearl, said he was riding the ATV less than five minutes before the crash.

Dealing with the aftermath and a police investigation overwhelmed and exhausted the family in the midst of their grief.

The loss of their child left a gaping hole in the Hughes family.

Shortly after Christmas they went to Aruba and threw two bottles into the Atlantic Ocean with laminated messages in different languages.

They read: "In memory of Jake Hughes 1993-2012. Our son loved to travel, help keep his memory alive."

Jake's brother, Adam, swam to the bottom of the ocean where the bottles were left and retrieved a rock for his mother.

This week, the message was discovered.

Daryl Loth, a Canadian living in Costa Rica, said his brother-in-law, a fisherman in that nation's community of Tortuguero, found the bottle a few kilometres off shore and could see another bottle glinting in the sunlight about 300 metres away.

He didn't understand the significance of the message, but brought it to Loth hoping to find out.

Loth googled Hughes, found his obituary and was shocked to find out Hughes was a Fonthill boy.

He emailed Sam and Pearl Hughes and told them how the message had touched

his heart, and of his connection to Niagara.

"I was immediately overcome with emotion," Loth wrote. "What a beautiful gesture on the part of a young man's loving parents."

The email was deeply touching for Pearl.

"It took my breath away. We've had so much sadness in our house because of the police investigation. It brought a little bit of something else to focus on," Pearl said.

"We were thrilled to know there are kind people out there who would take the time to honour our son and they didn't even know him," she said.

Loth's sister, Kate, lives in Welland. He emailed Kate to see if she knows the Hughes. It turns out her daughters went to preschool with Jake Hughes's younger cousins. Loth runs a bed and breakfast and takes guests on tours.

He decided to take Jake's bottle with him on a tour of one of Costa Rica's rainforest national parks before giving it back to his brother-in-law to set free for another adventure.



Nineteen-year-old Jake Hughes from Fonthill was killed on Aug. 20 when the ATV he was driving crashed near Redkenn Road.

## Chamber of Commerce awards done differently this year



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**Jenn Watt**  
Editor

Running a business can be a thankless job.

Most of the time, entrepreneurs spend their time concentrating on their products, services, employees, paperwork – there's little for recognition of a job well done.

That's where the Chamber of Commerce community and business awards come in.

On Feb. 23, the chamber will be recognizing non-profits, individuals and businesses for excellence.

"Recognition of achievement is one of the key categories that we, as human beings, strive for," awards chairwoman Cheryl McCombe says.

"This is one area on a local level we can do that."

This year, the chamber will be deciding on winners in a different way.

Panels of judges have been selected to comb over nominations. The winning business or individual will go through two rounds of vetting.

In previous years, the chamber had asked its members to vote for the winning candidate.

The change is "to try something new" McCombe said, adding that the judges would be sticking to category criteria in making their decisions.

About a third of chamber members voted in last year's awards.

There are nine awards being decided by judges, with a 10th decided by Warden Carol Moffatt: customer first, business achievement, skilled trades, not-for-profit, Highlander of the Year, tourism and hospi-

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tality, innovation, new business and Entrepreneur of the Year.

In the new business category, a list of seven businesses was released last week, but since that time three businesses have been removed because they did not meet the criterion of being open for between one and three years.

The list now reads: Haliburton RPM, The Highlander, Algonquin Painting and Haliburton Indoor Cycling.

The gala is being held at the Haliburton Legion, catered by Hali's Bistro with MC Mike Jaycock.

A day before the Oscars, McCombe said the entire weekend will have a celebratory feel.

Sponsorships are still available with funds going to the chamber. McCombe highlighted the "proud sponsor" category – a \$100 contribution, which will be recognized in thank-you ads and in the program.

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# The power of music as medicine

Last month, through circumstance, I learned that the Chinese symbol for medicine (yao) contained the Chinese symbol for music because the belief was that the two were too closely tied to do otherwise. The use of medicinal

herbs and “targeted” music are important parts of the ancient tradition.

In fact, in mythology music has also been used to defeat enemies and to soothe the victors. I also discussed something similar in a previous column on music in the military.

We have, of course, heard of music therapy, so I started to dig for more information. What is the role, if any, of

music in Western medicine, being more rooted in science and conservatism?

As is generally the case, I wound up with much more information than would fit this column.

I think we inherently, as individuals, use music to relax, soothe and create moods and feelings. In medicine, music being used to help the ill has been used for thousands of years, but modern medicine is only recently beginning to understand how it works.

Three areas music are used are healing, birthing and palliative care. As one might expect, its use is seen more in large cities, universities and teaching hospitals more so than in rural and more settings.

There have been many studies done. Some research has shown that if you play a piece, like Mozart, at a certain

slow beat the listener will adapt their heart beat to the beat of the music. One study showed that critically ill patients required fewer sedatives when they listened to an hour of Mozart piano sonatas. The patients’ heart rate and blood pressure eased with the music.



**The harp is a particularly soothing instrument due to its large number of strings and the sympathetic vibrations that affect strings that are not plucked, but resonate ‘in sympathy’. These vibrations also can positively effect the human body.**

— Greg Roe

One study, in Germany, showed a 50 per cent increase in pituitary growth hormone, which is known to stimulate healing.

A sound therapist I spoke with mentioned that the first sense to develop in the womb and the last to leave at death is hearing. Apparently babies in the womb hear their mother’s voice as a kind of rattling sound. Interestingly, most

cultures give as a child’s first toy, a rattle.

As well, she mentioned that many alternative health-care practitioners use music as a “prescriptive.” Some doctors recommend listening to joyful music as part of an overall prescription for maintaining good health. In fact, some studies show that listening to your favourite song can cause tissue in your blood vessels to dilate, increasing blood flow.

The harp is a particularly soothing instrument due to its large number of strings and the sympathetic vibrations that affect strings that are not plucked, but resonate “in sympathy.” These vibrations also can positively effect the human body.

I did try to get some local information about music in our local health system through a couple of sources, but to no avail.

Time and resource constraints on my part kept me from pursuing it further, but I am sure there may be a reader out there who has some sense of its use in Haliburton County. If so, I’d love to learn more.

Meanwhile, if you feel a touch of the winter flu coming on, take a listen to a couple of your favourite tunes and call me in the morning!

*Greg Roe hosts It’s Only Rock and Roll alternating Friday nights, on 100.9 CanoeFM, your volunteer, community radio station. He also hosts Haliburton County Reads on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Comments on this column are welcomed.*

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# Celebrating with the one you love in the Haliburton Highlands

**Angelica Blenich**  
Staff reporter

J'adore Haliburton.

Those are the words you might be saying this Valentine's Day as you experience many romantic options available throughout the Highlands.

Whether an outdoor enthusiast, a film buff or a foodie, there are plenty of ways to tell or show someone you love them on Feb. 14.

One way couples have celebrated Valentine's Day in the past is with a dogsled ride through Winterdance Dogsled Tours.

This year Winterdance will be running the two-hour and half-day tours both in the morning and afternoon on Feb. 14.

"We always do have couples coming on that day to have a nice wilderness adven-

ture together," said Barb Bohlin of Winterdance.

The romantic activity has lent itself to proposals and weddings, including riding out on the sleds to the wedding location.

"We can have a cake and a rose, we've done that before. If they want something special for Valentine's we can work with them to help provide what their dream is," said Bohlin.

For more information on Winterdance Dogsled Tours call 705-457-5281 or visit [www.winterdance.com](http://www.winterdance.com).

Those looking for a romantic adventure indoors can head over to the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion to watch Those Other Movies screen *To Rome with Love*.

The Woody Allen film stars Alec Baldwin, Penelope Cruz, Roberto Benigni and Ellen Page in a comedic story of interwin-



There are many places to go and things to do to celebrate Valentine's Day in the Haliburton Highlands this year. Options include enjoying a romantic dinner, catching a film set in Rome or heading outdoors for an adventure.



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ing characters.

The committee behind Those Other Movies selected the picture based on its theme of love and its all-star cast, said committee member Roberta Coles.

"It's set in the city of Rome and the cinematography is just gorgeous," said Coles.

The film will be screened at 4:15 p.m. and 7:15 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$8.

If delicious food prepared with love is on your mind, many of the local restaurants are preparing a special Valentine's dinner.

In conjunction with Those Other Movies, Hali's Bistro is featuring a Rome-themed dinner with entrees such as nutty lovebird, cheese ravioli with scampi amore and a lobster-stuffed pasta with a sauce made from rose petals.

"Love is the inspiration behind all my food," said chef Harold Airhart.

The special menu will be available on Feb. 14 and the following weekend. For reservations call 705-455-9800.

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Starting at 8 p.m., the show will feature banjo and fiddle performed by the duo who both hail from New York.

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# Valentine's Day facts and superstitions

Every Feb. 14 people around the world exchange gifts, chocolates and romantic greetings for a day set aside for lovers. Many traditions are followed, all in the name of St. Valentine.

Still, people may not understand why such customs are upheld. Much of the history of Valentine's Day and St. Valentine himself is shrouded in mystery, and much of what's widely accepted is inaccurate. To set the record straight, here are some facts about the holiday.

- Valentine's Day is believed to have originated from a celebration in Rome during the fifth century. This celebration paid tribute to St. Valentine, a Catholic priest.

Other historians surmise it was a way to "Christianize" the pagan holiday of Lupercalia, which was a fertility festival. Included in the traditions were boys and girls drawing names from a box and exchanging gifts.

- The Catholic church acknowledges at least three different saints named Valentine or Valentinus.

- All of the stories surrounding St. Valentine – whether they are disputed or not – paint him as a sympathetic and heroic individual.

- Valentine's Day greetings have been popular from the Middle Ages onward, though they usually have been verbal in nature.

- The oldest known written valentine still in existence today was a poem written in 1415 by Charles, Duke of Orleans, to his wife while he was imprisoned in the Tower of London following his capture at the Battle of Agincourt.

- Valentine's Day is celebrated in the United States, Canada, Mexico, the United Kingdom, France and Australia.

- Valentine's Day and Mother's Day are the most popular holidays to give flowers.

- According to Hallmark, women purchase 85 per cent of all valentines.

- According to the Greeting Card Association, an estimated one billion Valentine's Day cards are sent each year,

making Valentine's Day the second largest card-sending holiday of the year behind Christmas.

- Candy was among the earliest Valentine's Day gifts and remains a popular gift today.

- Some tales suggest that the type of bird a girl watches on Valentine's Day predicts her future husband. A bluebird indicates a happy man, while a sparrow indicates a poor man.

- In Medieval times, girls consumed unusual foods on Valentine's Day with the belief it would make them dream of their future husbands.



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# Love poems to heighten Valentine's Day romance

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While songs may be the modern-day way to offer one's feelings, poetry remains the basis behind song lyrics, and some of the great poets throughout time have offered their takes on mastering the words of love.

Although original poetry may make a special someone's heart melt, for those who find that literary prowess escapes them this year, reciting a classic poem can do the trick. Consider these words from "She Walks in Beauty," by Lord Byron.

She walks in beauty, like the night

Of cloudless climes and starry skies;  
And all that's best of dark and bright  
Meet in her aspect and her eyes:  
Thus mellowed to that tender light  
Which heaven to gaudy day denies.  
One shade the more, one ray the less,  
Had half impaired the nameless grace  
Which waves in every raven tress,  
Or softly lightens o'er her face;  
Where thoughts serenely sweet express  
How pure, how dear their dwelling place.  
And on that cheek, and o'er that brow,  
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• "Somewhere in Time" (1980): Starring Christopher Reeve, this drama surrounds a Chicago playwright who meets an old woman on the opening night of one of his plays. The woman presses a gold pocket watch into his hand before begging the young playwright to return to her. Years later, the playwright is staying at a hotel and becomes taken with a young woman in a photograph, only to learn that the young woman is the same mysterious older woman who visited on opening night

all those years ago.

• "West Side Story" (1961): One of Hollywood's many tales of forbidden love, this classic won Best Picture after being adapted for the big screen. The score alone is enough for film aficionados, but those who also want a story won't be disappointed by this musical tale of two youngsters who fall in love despite being from rival New York City gangs.

• "The Philadelphia Story" (1940): Featuring screen legends Cary Grant, Katharine Hepburn and James Stewart, the movie focuses on the complications that arise as a socialite prepares to marry. Cary Grant plays the ex-husband of Hepburn, who must deal with the simultaneous arrival of both Grant and Stewart, a journalist who arrives to get the scoop on her pending nuptials. Stewart earned an Oscar for his performance in the film, which is also credited for helping to revive Hepburn's career after a series of box office flops.

• "Casablanca" (1942): Perhaps no film is more synonymous with romance than this classic starring Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman as former lovers who reconnect one night in a pressure-packed African encounter during World War II. The two ex-lovers still harbor feelings for one another, though Bergman's Ilsa has moved on and married a resistance leader who needs the help of Bogart's Rick to escape Nazi forces hot on his trail. The film features many classic moments.

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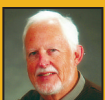
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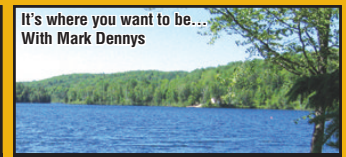
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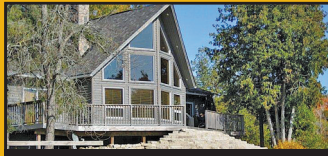


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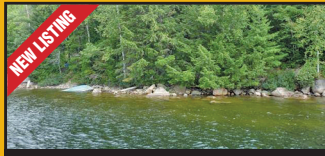
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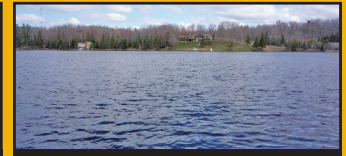
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**5 Lake Kashagawigamog Chain \$329,000**

- 254 ft. frontage, well treed, great privacy
- Gently sloping lot, miles of boating
- Super location, minutes to town
- Old log cottage with lots of charm

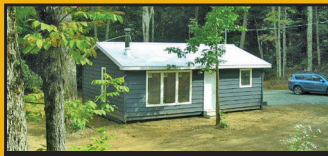
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**Jim Beef Lake \$64,900**

- Great building lot. West Exp.
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- Just under 1/2 an acre
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**Miskwabi Lake Access \$174,900**

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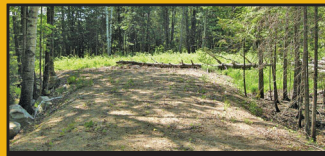
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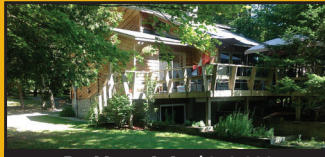
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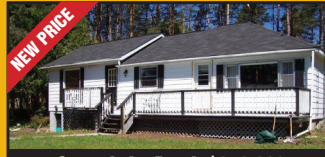
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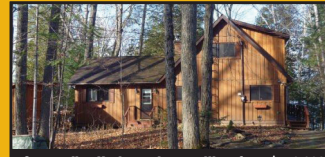


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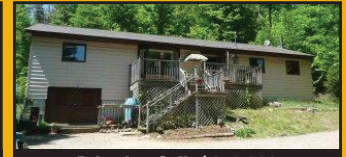
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**Outstanding Kashagawigamog Waterfront \$549,900**

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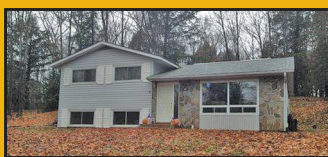
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**Priced to Sell \$179,000**

- Large family home with 4 BRs & 1 1/2 baths
- Open concept with many upgrades
- Situated on a private, well treed 2.81 acres
- Close to many lakes and Haliburton Forest

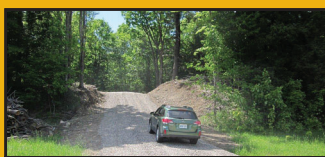
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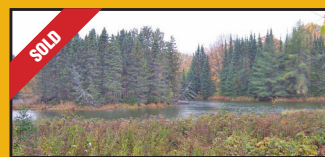
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- High Traffic corner; Bobcaygeon/Newcastle St.
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- Town water and sewer

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**Kashagawigamog Lake Road Acreage \$125,000**

- 64 Acres Overlooking Pond with Island
- Trails Throughout
- Close to Boat Launch and Haliburton Village
- Year Round Road

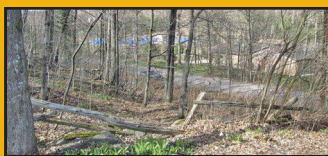
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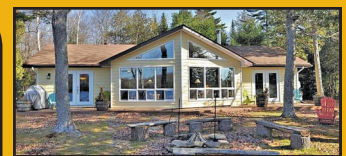
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# How Gooderham got its name

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There are no legally defined boundaries for the village of Gooderham ... The story that the name was changed from Pine Lake to Gooderham because a whiskey salesman supplied each of the three hotels with free liquor is based on inaccurate information.

There were no hotels in Gooderham in 1873, only Sam Whitaker's Tavern. According to the writings of the late Gordon Barr, Way's Hotel was built circa 1875, The Union House Hotel about 1879 and the Queen's Hotel in the early 1880s. An article in the Winter 2007 issue of *Original Roots* refers to happenings at The Queen's Hotel that took place in 1883.

In an article titled "On the Main Street" written by Fred Moynes which appeared in the May 27, 1968 issue of "The Post" [Lindsay], Mr. Moynes quotes a "former resident" as saying that "I understand that the village was named after member of the well known distillery firm bearing the name Gooderham and that he used to spend some time there as a tourist and also as a salesman for the product." My research of the Gooderham

family leads me to believe that this was George Gooderham.

Alan Rayburn, author of "Place Names of Ontario", states that the name was changed from "Pine Lake to Gooderham in 1873 after George Gooderham ... gave generously to a subscription to build a Methodist Church here", and that the whisky salesman story was "probably apocryphal."

A niece of Mr. Murray Gooderham (a nephew of George Gooderham), who owned Part Lot 3, Con. VI for many years, visited my office (The Township of Glamorgan Municipal Office) while settling her uncle's estate and told me that the Gooderham family was of the opinion that the village had been so named because a member of the family had made a large donation to a church in Gooderham. It seems reasonable that Mr. Gooderham would have done this since an ancestor, William Gooderham, built Little Trinity Church on King Street East in Toronto in 1843.

That a church was important to the handful of settlers who were here at that time is obvious since the first recorded mission started in 1874.

This information clearly indicates that the community was named after Mr. Gooderham, not the product for which he was a salesman.

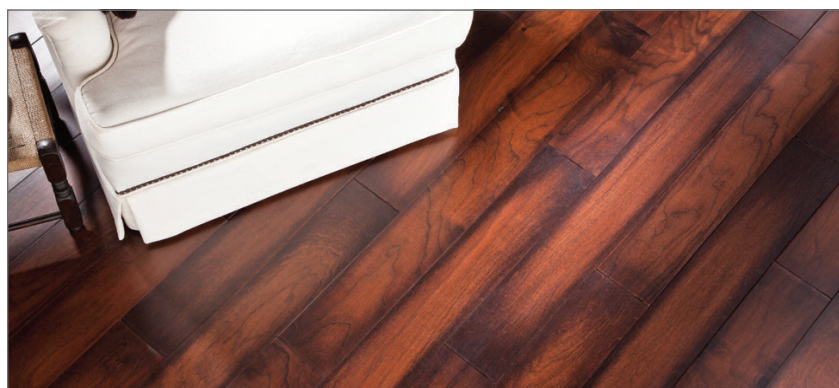
duced, most of the early settlers were farmers who had taken up Free Grant Land. The Mossom Boyd to the west and the How're Lumber Company to the east brought the lumbermen with them from the Ottawa Valley, Quebec and Michigan. A few of these men, such as James Dewey decided to make this area their home and Mr. Dewey's descendants still reside in Gooderham. For a comprehensive description of the various lumber companies that operated in Glamorgan Township, see "The Timber Industry & Mining Activities" in *A Journey Through Glamorgan's Past*.

Given the topography of the land surrounding the hamlet it is understandable that from the core which grew around Hunter's Sawmill, the community now stretches along County Rd. 503 from the Sherri's Truck-stop in the east to Lifestyle Bookkeeping; in the west, a distance of approximately five kilometres, and along County Road 507, south from it's intersection with County Road 503, to R. Billings Construction, an approximate distance of approximately three kilometres.

The core of the hamlet has changed significantly over the years when businesses such as Sam Whittaker's Tavern, Hadley's Store, The Union House Hotel, Livery Stables and Blacksmith Shops, Peter Barr's Store, Barr's General Store, Walker's Store, Huff's Boarding House, Union House Hotel, the Shoe Maker's Shop and Burrows Jewelry Shop, the Jail, L.O.L No. 11, Gooderham United Church, and schools (all discussed in *A Journey Through Glamorgan's Past*) lined the Monk Road, which was the main street of the hamlet.

Of these structures, only Peter Barr's store (now a residence), Barr's General Store (now under different ownership and under reconstruction), Walker's Store

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# A journey through Glamorgan's past

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(enlarged and changed so that the original façade no longer remains and operated as a Lucky Dollar franchise), remain. On the site of the blacksmith shops and some unidentified buildings, a couple of houses and the Highlands East municipal building, which houses the municipality's building department, Gooderham branch library and Gooderham post office now stand.

Where Huff's Boarding House stood is a fine brick residence.

idence.

On the site of the Union House Hotel sits D & L Service Centre. Gooderham United Church is still operating, S.S. NO. 2 School that sits beside it, is a residence.

Newer residences are scattered along Mill Street, along County Road 503 east and west, along County Road 507 south and along some of the sideroads; some owner-operated businesses are also located here and there; The Tim-br Mart sits on the original bed of the Irondale River which was relocated through the hamlet are in the 1950s

when the Monk Road underwent major reconstruction.

The little country schools scattered through the Township of Glamorgan were consolidated into Gooderham Consolidated School situated on the hillside behind the Union House Hotel in 1923 and it was replaced by Gooderham Elementary School that sits still farther up the hill; was closed and now is in private ownership.

This is just a short summary of the changes that have, or have not, taken place over the years from approximately 1875 to the present.

## G7 student senate launches the Great Pasta Challenge

Competition running at HHSS until Feb. 25

The Great Pasta Challenge is on again in Trillium Lakelands District School Board, as of Feb. 11. Led by this year's G7 Student Senate (formerly the Group of Seven), the Great Pasta Challenge will run until Feb. 25 and is a competition between each of the seven secondary schools in TLDSB to raise the most boxed pasta. The pasta collected will then be evenly distributed amongst

local food banks.

The final count of boxes of pasta is determined by dividing the population of the school by the number of boxes raised.

Last year, the winning school was Lindsay Collegiate and Vocational Institute, with 4.64 boxes raised per student. A close race for second place was between Haliburton Highlands Secondary School with 2.46 boxes raised per student and I.E. Weldon Secondary with 2.21 boxes raised per student. This year, Muskoka schools - Bracebridge and Muskoka Lakes Secondary School, Gravenhurst High School, and Huntsville High School - are challenging each other to raise the most boxed pasta. Similar challenges exist between schools in the City of

Kawartha Lakes.

"The friendly competition between each high school is important," LCVI G7 representative and student trustee, Hana Ready stated. "It allows the Great Pasta Challenge to not only be an exciting event for students but also provides for more pasta to be donated to the community food banks, which is, of course, the main purpose of the challenge."

Anyone wishing to participate in the Great Pasta Challenge can drop boxed pasta off at any TLDSB secondary school between Feb. 11 and Feb. 25. The winning school will be announced on Tuesday, Feb. 26.

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The YWCA Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton welcomes applications to the Hazel Fund, an education award established in memory of a local woman who dreamed of finding ways to help women overcome barriers related to violence and abuse in order to pursue their dreams. Rural women are especially encouraged to apply.

This year, the YWCA will award several \$1,000 grants to local women who are working toward overcoming tremendous obstacles to further their formal or informal education.

Application forms for the Hazel Fund are available online at [www.ywcapeterborough.org/hazel-fund.html](http://www.ywcapeterborough.org/hazel-fund.html). Applications will be accepted until March 15.

Hazel believed that everyone deserves a chance and that chances should be made possible.

She learned to speak out and encouraged others to stand up and be heard.

This fund has helped local women for over 13 years and has recently been

extended through generous donations to YWCA Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton.

"Hazel was a strong woman who shared her spirit with as many people as possible," says Lynn Zimmer, executive director of the YWCA.

"She met her struggles and endured. She saw others struggle and showed them how to survive. She shared the roads she travelled, and the experiences and lessons she learned."

"When people met the strength of this smiling, laughing woman little did they know their lives would be enriched by her knowledge and life experiences," says Hazel's daughter Shona. "With this award, her legacy continues; women are gaining support and as they reach towards their goals."

To learn more about the Hazel Fund, please visit [www.ywcapeterborough.org](http://www.ywcapeterborough.org) or contact the YWCA by phone at 705-743-3526 or TTY 705-743-4015.

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# Scotty tournament surpasses \$100,000

**Darren Lum**  
Staff reporter

It was more a matter of when than if.

This year's Scotty Morrison Charity Hockey Tournament once again proved to be a winner with the community and hockey fans who helped break the \$100,000 mark in the event's five-year history.

"Everybody worked really hard and because of that hard work we were successful. Because of the generosity of the local community we were able to have some strong sponsorship money," tournament chairperson and resource development co-ordinator Hilary Elia said.

Although exact figures are not known, the event's beneficiary Community Care Haliburton County will receive more than \$37,000, breaking last year's total, Elia said.

This event helps to raise money for services such as emergency response, friendly visiting and meals on wheels for seniors and adults with disabilities and/or illness, as well as assistance to caregivers.

Elia said this year's larger sum is owed to doing virtually everything in-house.

Expenses were down as a result. Also, sponsorship was greater than last year and she said this, and the continued support, is owed to how money will be returned to services locally.

Elia thanked supporters and sponsors and credited committee members Derrell Stamp, Paul Morissette and Walter Tose.

This main committee organized the Red Hawks/Redmen alumni games on Saturday. The games featured close to 25 years of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School hockey players. Full stands provided greater totals for the 50/50 draw and the silent auction, which had more than 100 items from Highlands businesses. Doug Mitchell assisted with referees and scorekeepers.

Volunteers who served on sub-committees responsible for garnering sponsorships includes Thalia Nash, Scotty



Redmen alumni Andrew Burk stretches out for a save in one of two showcase games at the Scotty Morrison Charity Hockey Tournament at the S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena in Minden on Saturday, Feb. 2. Haliburton Highlands Secondary School hockey players from the past 20 years came together to play. The tournament's showcase game helped to push the five-year total over \$100,000 for Community Care Haliburton County.  
Darren Lum Staff

Morrison, Annette Richardson, Ruth Mitchell, Jeanne Anthon, Claude Parish, Jim Redner, Maureen Ruttig, Leah Weston, Robert Penfold and Stamp.

Unlike last year, the Friday night dinner was replaced with a cocktail event at the S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena in Minden, which allowed more interaction between the public and celebrities.

Some committee members have suggested there might

be another alumni game next year.

They begin planning for next year's event in May.

This tournament is named after former NHL referee and chairman and chief executive officer of the Hockey Hall of Fame. Morrison is a tireless volunteer and calls Haliburton home. He credits Community Care with giving him assistance as a caregiver for his wife in her final days.



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## Snow's here

Skiers and snowboarders enjoyed almost perfect conditions at Sir Sam's ski hill this past weekend after Friday's snowstorm brought fresh, powder white snow to the hill in Eagle Lake. The clear, sunny skies welcomed people of all ages to cruise down the hill. Staff at the Sir Sam's were preparing for the Family Day long weekend, which is the busiest one during the winter season. Sir Sam's will be open Saturday, Sunday and Monday of the long weekend. **Angelica Blenich** Staff



# Haliburton NHLers seizing opportunities in shorter season

**Darren Lum**  
Staff reporter

The shortened National Hockey League season is agreeing with Haliburton sons Matt Duchene and Cody Hodgson.

Up until a few weeks ago, there wasn't an NHL season. The lockout lasted 113 days.

According to NHL.com, Hodgson and Duchene have

taken advantage of what time is left.

The Colorado Avalanche's Duchene is leading his team in assists (nine) and is tied for first in points with nine (two goals and seven assists). He is close to averaging a point a game through 10 games and has a plus five rating.

Buffalo Sabres centre Cody Hodgson is making the best of his opportunity with the team's top line scoring 10 points (five goals and five assists) through 10 games.

He was traded from the Vancouver Canucks part way through the season to the Sabres.

Although the Sabres sit in last place, the Sabres are showing they can score and are among the scoring leaders as far as team totals go.

Elite Sabres player Thomas Vanek, who has 19 points (eight goals and 11 assists) in his first nine games, is benefiting from playing with Hodgson and Jason Pominville. Vanek leads the league in points and assists. The line has scored 19 goals 10 games into the season.



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# Peewee As win series

After a devastating 5-1 loss that put Smolen Dentistry's Peewee A team down two games to one last week in Parry Sound, many parents quietly assumed that our squad was all but done.

The only problem ... someone forgot to tell the boys. After one of their worst games of the year, the Storm came back with two of their best to win the series 3-2.

The weekend started with the squad playing in front of a packed crowd in Minden. Right out of the gate there was a jump in their step that was sorely lacking the week-end before.

Alexander Petrie got things rolling early, cutting in off the side boards and potting a shot over the blocker of the unsuspecting goalie. Kyle Cooper netted another on the powerplay and it looked as if we were off to the races. With a team as good as the Parry Sound Shamrocks though, we should have known better.

In the second, Parry Sound quickly came back with a goal in the first minute and another on the power play midway through to even it up.

The entire series may have ended differently if not for our goalie, Parker Smolen. A mad scramble in front resulted in a penalty shot being awarded to Parry Sound's star player, Aiden Dudas. The whole arena held its breath as he came in on Smolen only to be stymied by a fantastic pad save. Smolen had an unbelievable night, and before the period was over Cooper put us back

ahead by one.

In the third period, Josh Boice fed a nice pass to Owen Smith in front on the power play but their star player, Dudas, brought Parry Sound back to within one with five minutes left.

It was a tense final few moments until Boice broke free to score the empty-netter and force a fifth and final game the next day in Parry Sound.

And what a game it was. It started with both teams in full stride. Chances were traded at either end and this time, it was Josh Bellefleur's turn to stand tall in net. Parry Sound's Dudas broke free halfway through the period to score the first goal of the game but Boice's pass in front to Smith evened things up.

It looked like the period would stay deadlocked but a mad scramble in front of the Storm net ended with Parry Sound poking in the loose puck to take the lead going into the second.

At no point in the game did the Storm look like they had lost control. Cooper's wrister tied the score early in the second and then Smitty had a beautiful rush, picking his way through several Shamrocks before netting his second of the game. Back and forth it went; Parry Sound scored again to tie it up before the end of the second then took the lead in the third.

But on this night, our boys were not to be denied. With four minutes left in the third, Smitty completed the hat trick by stopping a shot from the point and patiently slipping in the backhand that would take us to overtime.

After all that had happened in this series, it was only fitting that this, the final game, would go to overtime.

All of the elements of a spectacular series have been evident: drama, emotion, some controversy to keep it interesting, but above all, two incredibly matched teams displaying every ounce of effort to win.

With a face-off in Parry Sound's end Cooper won the draw back to Ryan Prentice at the blue line. Ryan's shot was deftly deflected by Devyn Prentice and past the unsuspecting Parry Sound goaltender...bedlam!

With that goal it was our children's turn to teach the parents a lesson - never give up - with heart and steadfast determination you win no matter what. Congratulations, boys - on to Ennismore we go!

*Submitted by Jon Petrie*

## Storm girls continue play downs

The Minden Car Quest/Canadian Tire Storm Midget girls struggled to find their scoring touch on the week-end as they faced off against the Almaguin Gazelles in their Provincial Midget B Play downs.

Friday night's road trip to Almaguin was cancelled due to inclement weather conditions, so the Storm hosted the Gazelles on Saturday afternoon in Minden. Almaguin jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the first period and Jessica Duchene tied the game in the second with a nice deflection to the top corner of the net.

The score remained 1-1 with about six minutes left in the game where the tide turned and Almaguin scored three unanswered goals to steal the first game of the home and home series.

The Storm girls travelled to Sundridge on Sunday afternoon to play the second game of the series.

Failing to find the twine, the Almaguin squad wrapped up the series with the Highland Storm Midget girls with a talented effort stopping all Storm shooters. Final score 4-0. The Minden Car Quest/Canadian Tire Storm girls continue their Provincial Midget B Play downs Saturday, Feb. 16 at 3 p.m. against the Ice Cats from Clearview in Minden and then travel to Nottawasaga Sunday night to wrap up the two-game home and home series.

The Storm girls will need to win both games to hope for a tie-breaking possibility of advancing to Ottawa. The Highland Storm girls play their last tournament March 1, 2 and 3 in the Clearview Midget B Classic. Work on your scoring touch, girls as we forge ahead.

*Submitted by Dan Marsden*

## Storm Novice put up good fight

Even though the Highland Storm Novice team was put out of the playoffs that doesn't mean they're done playing hockey. They played an exhibition game against the Bancroft Jets in Wilberforce Thursday night. The Jets score twice in the first, the Storm answer back with a goal scored by Kyan Hall assisted by Hunter Winder.

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# Angie Jean team wins Fevreau trophy

## Wilberforce

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Eight teams did manage to participate in the Valentine

Bonspiel at the Wilberforce club this past weekend. Two teams from Newmarket and area were storm delayed and missed their Friday night games. But Donna Fevreau and all her friends did rise from bed before the crack of dawn on Saturday and made it here for that day's games. Several others teams played shorthanded for a while or recruited

volunteer substitutes. The storm, which brought welcome snow for snowmobile trails, brought out everyone's best coping skills.

The Angie Jean team of Gerri Waugh, Kathy McQuigge, and Marielaine Mackie won the Don Fevreau trophy with 48 points.

The next three teams were great challengers for that trophy. In second place was the team Lynn Waugh (skip), Jackie Wanninkof, Sheri Siebarth and Shannon Murray with 36.50 points. The Abby Cadieux, Andrea Donaldson, Audry Martin and Brenda Fearrey team placed third with 34.75 points. The fourth place team of Tammy Vaughan (skip), Ashley Barragar, Tony Waller and Emilie Bar played well earning 32 points.

Marsha Sweet's team that won last year, played well as did those on teams skipped by Donna Fevreau, Ashley Siebarth and Denise Evans.

Congratulations to organizers Doug Stephen, Tammy Vaughan and all their helpers. The clubhouse looked delightful with its Valentine's Day theme.

The lunch food, the roast beef dinner and the fine prizes were all well received. Thanks to all who contributed so much to make this a successful enjoyable event.

We were sorry to hear of the sudden death of Herman Poppe on Saturday, Feb. 2. Herman formerly of Toronto was until recently a longtime resident of Wilberforce. He was in his 70th year.

Herman was a well-respected accountant having worked for the former Martin Lumber Company. He also served on the board of the Haliburton County Development Corporation for a number of years.

A private visitation has been held with a graveside service to take place in the spring at the Wilberforce cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to Heather, son Michael (Paula), grandsons Etan and Owen, sister Rita of Toronto and brother Guy (Carol) of Aurora.

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## NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION TO PURCHASE PART OF A ROAD ALLOWANCE MUNICIPALITY OF DYSAET ET AL

- **DATE:** Monday, March 25th, 2013
- **TIME:** Any person who wishes to address Council should contact the Planning Department for a delegation time.
- **LOCATION:** Council Chambers in the Municipal Office  
135 Maple Ave., Haliburton, Ontario

### APPLICATIONS:

The Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al has, by resolution, declared the following road allowance to be surplus. This application will improve the public access to the Harcourt waste disposal site.

Applicant: Schwandt Aggregate Ltd.  
Subject Land: Part of Packard Road, Township of Harcourt, being Part 1 on Plan 19R-1614, save and except Parts 3 and 5, Plan 19R-7789 is to be closed and conveyed in exchange for Part 4, Plan 19R-7789.

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al proposes to consider and if deemed appropriate enact at its meeting as noted above, a by-law to close, stop-up and convey the portion of road allowance described above.

**BEFORE PASSING** the said by-law, the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al shall at its meeting to be held as noted above, hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said by-law.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** is available for review from the Planning Department at the Municipal Office during regular offices hours (8:30 am. to 4:30 pm. Monday to Friday).

**Dated** at the Township of Dysart, this 5th day of February, 2013.

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Council of the Municipality of Dysart et al will be considering proposed amendments to various Fees and Charges at their meeting on Monday, February 25, 2013.

The amendments pertain to the following fees:  
Arena/Community Centre Fees  
Disposal of Waste at Municipal Landfill Sites  
Provision of Fire Department Services  
Building Permit Fees

Further information on the proposed fees and charges are available on the Municipality's website at [www.dysartetel.ca](http://www.dysartetel.ca), or at the Dysart Municipal Office, 135 Maple Avenue, Haliburton.

Cheryl Coulson,  
Municipal Clerk

### 2013 BUDGET

Please note that Council will also be finalizing the 2013 Budget at their meeting on Monday, February 25, 2013.

### SEEKING NEW MUSEUM BOARD MEMBER

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**Feb 13:** The Haliburton Highlands Quilt Guild is meeting at the Stanhope Community Centre at 9:30 am for a Fantastic Folded Flower Workshop and at 1 pm for members' presentations of 3 useful techniques. For more information – call Pat Stiver 489-3751

**Feb16:** Haliburton & District Lions Club Polar Bear Challenge. An event at the Haliburton Frost Festival ~ All proceeds to the Sick Kids Eye Project ~ Registration at 12:30 pm/ Event starts at 1:00 pm. Pledge forms available at Cranberry Cottage, Haliburton Foodland, West Guildford Shopping Centre. Prizes award to the top individual pledge dollars and top team pledge dollars. For my information, contact Lion Jim Frost at 705 457-4031 or visit our web site at: [www.e-clubhouse.org/site/haliburtonon/index.php](http://www.e-clubhouse.org/site/haliburtonon/index.php)

**Feb 16:** Haliburton Forest Annual Poker Run. Registration at Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Base Camp. This popular fundraising event is now in its 24th year and has raised more than \$150,000.00 for local charities. All proceeds will go to the Haliburton Volunteer Fire Department for all their selfless efforts. Admission is \$50.00 plus HST per participant. Please call Haliburton Forest and Wild Life for more details 1-705-754-2198.

**Feb 16:** Haliburton Frost Festival: February 16 located at Head Lake Park. Dress for Haliburton's winter weather and chill with your community at the Family Day Weekend Annual Event held in the beautiful Village of Haliburton

**Feb 16:** Highlands Trio, hosted by The Royal Canadian Legion Minden Branch 636 from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm - We are serving a lunch consisting of roast beef on a bun with fresh-cut fries. There will also be some open mic sessions during the afternoon for those who wish to participate. All are welcome to come to visit us at the Minden Legion!

**Feb 17/18:** Minden Hills Family Winterfest located at the Community Centre and Curling Club. Sunday – Curling starts at 9, Hockey in the afternoon and Chilli Contest. Monday – Pancake Breakfast, Games, Kinark Outdoor games, Snow Pitch, Broomball for more information call Cammy George 286-1936

**March 5:** The Grief Journey- A free bereavement support group. For 13 Tuesday evenings from 7-8:30. Located at the Haliburton Family Medical Centre Board Room 7217 Gelert Rd., For further information call Sue Bain 705-457-2570 or Pat and Doug Hardy 705-286-3635.



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Messages of sympathy go out to two families. Garfield Miller died at Extendicare on Tuesday, Feb. 5. His Miller relatives and friends and all of his wife, Mina's, Barry connections attended the funeral on Saturday, Feb. 9 at Monk's Funeral Chapel.

The Rev. Paul Irwin, a close neighbour and friend of Garf's, led the service with appropriate scripture readings and with the reading of family's eulogies and brief biography.

Thoughts of love and prayer will continue to flow out to all who were close to Garf and who appreciated his life.

Carl Sawyer died on Friday, Feb. 8 at Haliburton Hospital and the sympathy of the community goes out to the family: his son Lyle, his sister Jan Hlywka of Welland, and Peggy Pouw and Gail Bekei both of West Guilford.

Many also of the large Sawyer connection will feel the loss keenly.

Arrangements will be made later for the gathering as a memorial and tribute from all who knew him at the West Guilford Community Centre.

I must include this embarrassing note. Somewhere I have mislaid my burlap shopping bag with colourful animals painted on. In it unfortunately is no identification, but there are articles designated for 4Cs (kitchen things) and a few books. Give me a call if you find said bag. There will be gratitude unbounding!

Euchre scores for Feb. 5: High - Rosemary Blight and Perry Morrison. Low - Barbara Brownsberger and Henk van Nood. Most lone hands - Myra Marshall and Ed Muenzel. Specials - Barb Robataille and Gerald Hadley.

## Haliburton Concert Series celebrates 35<sup>th</sup> season

2013 marks the 35th season for the Haliburton Concert Series, and we are celebrating with a spectacular line up of guest artists.

The opening concert on May 4 features Michael Burgess and Rebecca Caine in *The Dream Concert*. Here comes musical theatre magic! Michael Burgess sang more than 1,000 performances as Jean Valjean in *Les Miserables*, and Rebecca Caine created the original Christine Daae role in the long-running Toronto production of *Phantom of the Opera*. Now they come together to create a dazzling journey through the music of both classic and contemporary Broadway.

The second concert of our season is on Sept. 14 and will feature Duo Diorama. Pianist Winston Choi dazzled us two years ago with his solo performance. This year, he's returning with his charming wife, MingHuan Xu, a violinist who performs extensively in China and North America. They have a startlingly fresh and powerful approach to the music and perform a mix of styles rang-

ing from great standard works to the avant garde.

The final concert on Oct. 26 will bring us THREE. We're delighted to welcome back the impossibly talented Guy Few, who now brings with him colleagues Leslie Newman and Nadina Mackie Jackson to form THREE. With a combined mastery of flute, trumpet, corno, bassoon, piano and the human voice, THREE's programming is versatile and eclectic, ranging from the masterpieces of Western Europe to Argentinian tango to newly commissioned works by great Canadian Composers.

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This is proving to be a very popular series - more than 70 per cent of the subscriptions have already been sold so if you're interested, don't delay. Adults \$50, students \$25, family pass \$125.

Subscriptions will be on sale until May 4, and then if there are any tickets left over, single tickets for the last two concerts will go on sale on May 5 for \$30 for adults and \$10 for students.

Call June Smith at 705-457-3272 or email her at [june.smith705@gmail.com](mailto:june.smith705@gmail.com) to buy your tickets.

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## Deaths

**JONES, Rowatt Dwight** - Born September 15, 1928 and passed away peacefully at the Queensway-Carleton Hospital, Ottawa, on Tuesday, February 5, 2013, with his family by his side, at the age of 84. Beloved husband of Vera McColl for 59 years. Loving father of Shelley (Chris) and Rick (Lisa). Adored grandfather of Matthew Wiles, Danielle and Thomas Merriman. Predeceased by his parents Owen and Ellen Jones. Dear brother of Gordon, Amie (Ray) Campbell, and predeceased by his brother Morris and his sister Elva Morrison. Rowatt will be missed by the McColl family and by his many nieces, nephews, family and friends. Friends are invited to visit the family at the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME Ltd.**, 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden on Thursday, February 7, 2013 from 6:00 until 9:00 pm. Funeral Service will be held in the chapel on Friday, February 8, 2013 at 1:00 pm. Reception will follow in the family centre at the Funeral Home. Spring Interment at the Maple Lake United Church Cemetery, Maple Lake. Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) would be appreciated by the family.

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**MILLER, Garfield Edwin** - October 12, 1934 - February 5, 2013 - Passed away peacefully at Haliburton Extendicare in his 79th year. Predeceased by his parents Hector and Ruby Miller. Loving husband of Mina Mary Miller (nee Hutchings). Dear father of Don Miller (Adine), Lynda Miller (Craig), Bernard Barry (Laurie), Susan Major (Art), Lois Tingey (Eric), Margaret Hutchinson (Ralph), Ross Barry (Tammy). Garf will be sadly missed by his 15 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Loving brother to Winnifred (Goldie) Blacklock. Friends are invited to visit the family at the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME Ltd.**, 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., P.O. Box 427, Minden on Saturday, February 9, 2013 from 11:00 am until the time of the Funeral Service in the chapel at 1:00 pm. Reception to follow in the family centre at the Funeral Home. Spring Interment Maple Lake United Church Cemetery, Maple Lake. Memorial Donations to the Proud Pioneers at Extendicare or to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) would be appreciated by the family.

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**RIVERS, Gordon Thomas** - In Loving Memory of Gordon Thomas Rivers lifelong employee to the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce. Born on May 22, 1936 and passed away suddenly at his home in Bramalea on Wednesday, February 6, 2013. Gordon is survived by his sister Betty Davis (Moss-deceased), Sam (Dorothy), Joe (Gwen) and is predeceased by his brothers Milton and John (Isabel). He will be missed by his many nieces, nephews, his neighbor friends and extended family. Friends are invited to visit the family at the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME LTD.**, 127 Bobcaygeon Road, P.O. Box 427, Minden KOM 2K0 on Thursday, February 14, 2013 from 11:00 am until the time of the Memorial Service in the chapel at 1:00 pm. Reception to follow in the family centre at the Funeral Home. Cremation has taken place. Memorial Donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated. [www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com](http://www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com)

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## Deaths



### HALIBURTON Community FUNERAL HOME

#### Anna Sicoli-Nichol

(Resident of Haliburton, Ontario)

Peacefully at Haliburton Hospital with her family by her side on Sunday afternoon, February 3, 2013 in her 59th year. Wife of Bob Nichol for over 30 years. Loving mother of Andre and Rosanne. Predeceased by her parents Giovanni & Maria Sicoli. Daughter-in-Law of Robert & Edna Nichol (predeceased). Loving sister to Jim Sicoli (Marlene), Frank Sicoli and Dean Sicoli (Lori). Predeceased by her sister Emma Sicoli-Laipnieks. Fondly remembered by her brother-in-law Hugh Nichol (Stephanie) and Peter Laipnieks. Aunt to Lisa Bonnell (Carlo), Johnny Sicoli, Anton Laipnieks, Thomas Nichol, and Curtis Nichol. Great Aunt to Luke & Emma Bonnell. Anna will also be remembered by her Aunts, Uncles and Cousins back in Sault Ste. Marie, Edmonton, Victoria, Italy and France. Anna was an extraordinary teacher for over 30 years. She was an active member of St. Anthony's Of Padua Roman Catholic Church, Past President of the CWL and volunteered at the Haliburton 4C's and many other organizations.

#### Visitation, Mass of Christian Burial & Reception

Friends were invited to call at the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME** 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705)457-9209 on Friday afternoon, February 8, 2013 from 4-7 p.m. CWL prayers were be recited at 6:30 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial was be celebrated in the **CHURCH OF SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA** 27 Victoria St. Haliburton, Ontario on Saturday afternoon, February 9, 2013 at 2 o'clock. Rev. Patrick M. Dobec presiding. Spring interment Parish Cemetery. Reception to follow in The Community Room at the Funeral Home. As expressions of sympathy, donations to St. Anthony Of Padua Roman Catholic Church or the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation - Palliative Care Unit would be appreciated by the family.

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## In memoriam

In loving memory of **Bill Hartin** who passed away Feb. 12 2004 Just a memory fond and true to show we still remember you Though 9 years have passed away. Still we miss you day by day. Sadly missed Donna, Children and grandchildren

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**IN MEMORY OF FLOYD DOVELL**  
Remembering our dear father and grandfather who passed away on February 13, 1985.  
You are forever in our hearts  
Love June and Grant, Cory Jenna and Alex

12727377

**McNeil Merreir Sr.** In loving memory of a dear dad who went to heaven Feb 13, 1998  
No farewell was spoken  
No time to say good-bye  
You were gone before we knew  
and only God knows why  
Always loved, remembered, missed each and everyday  
**Your daughter Wanda-Lee McNeil**

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**McNeil Merreit Sr.**  
In loving memory of a dear husband who went to be with the Lord Feb.13, 1998.  
Everyday, in some small way,  
memories of you come my way.  
Though absent, you are ever near,  
Still missed, still loved, and ever dear.  
Always loved and never forgotten your wife  
**Mary McNeil**

12726409

**McNeil Merreit Sr**  
In loving memory of a dear dad who passed away Feb 13 1998.  
You are loved beyond words  
And missed beyond measure  
**Love Reta & Ken**

12727383

## Deaths

## In memoriam



### In Loving Memory of Elizabeth (Betty) Greply

May 27, 1917 – February 15, 2003

"They are not dead who live in

lives they leave behind--  
in those whom they have  
blessed, they live again."

Our hero, our mother, our  
grandmother, our friend.

Always in our hearts.

Lynda, Lorne, Kate  
and Shane

## In memoriam



## In memoriam

### In Memory of Stephen Walchuk

Today recalls the memory  
Of a loved one gone to rest,  
And those who  
think of him today  
Are those who  
loved him best.  
The flowers we lay  
upon his grave  
May wither and decay,  
But the love for him who  
lies beneath  
Will never fade away.

with love Nel, Evelyn &  
Lee, Janice, Barb & Vince  
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## Deaths

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**Herman Poppe**  
**(Formerly of Wilberforce, Ontario)**



Peacefully at his residence on Saturday evening, February 2, 2013 in his 70th year. Beloved husband of Heather Poppe (Cruickshank). Loving father of Michael and his wife Paula of Donald. Fondly remembered by his grandsons Ethan & Owen. Dear brother of Rita of Toronto and Guy (Carol) of Aurora. Also lovingly remembered by his niece and nephew.

**Private Visitation & Graveside Service**

A private visitation was held. A Graveside Service will be held in the spring. Interment later South Wilberforce Cemetery. As expressions of sympathy, donations to the Haliburton Hospital Auxiliary would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME** 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705)457-9209.

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# Storm lose 6-4

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Halfway through the second the Jets score again, the Storm respond with a goal from Gage Hutchinson assisted by Nick Phippen, the Jets get one more with five seconds left in the period.

The Jets come out quick in the third with two more goals, the Storm fight back and find the net two more times with a goal for Matthew Vargas assisted by Ty Mills and Phippen then scored again with a goal by Phippen assists for Vargas and Mills to end the game 6-4 for Bancroft.

*Submitted by Trish Phippen*

## Heartache for Storm boys

The Peppermill Atom A team hosted the Parry Sound Shamrocks on Saturday, Feb. 9 for game four of the first round of playoffs.

With five points under their belts and only one for the Shamrocks, the Storm stepped on the ice with confidence and determination to advance to the next round. Over the course of the first and second periods, the Storm scored the first three goals. First Alex Little put a nice one in on a pass from Zach Morissette, then Joe Boice from Miki Bukta.

The third was by Nigel Smith, unassisted.

At one point the Storm led the game 3-0. Well into the second period the boys

were feeling unstoppable. They may have got a little too confident though because Parry Sound suddenly pulled up their socks and put themselves back into the game in a big way!

Once Parry Sound caught up, the Storm boys played a very equal game and the points went back and forth with the next two goals for Storm coming from Benn MacNaull, first from Ethan Glecoff and then unassisted.

Once again, it looked as if the boys would end the first series with their 5-4 lead when in the last minute of the game a lucky Shamrock put one in the net to tie things up and send them to overtime.

If the boys could hold on to the tie they would advance, but luck was on the side of the Shamrocks and after five minutes of overtime they scored the last goal to win the game.

Sunday brought more heartache for the Storm boys.

The wind had clearly been knocked out of their sails by the previous day's loss.

The boys were clearly not on top of their game and couldn't buy a goal until well into the third period when Alex Little finally put the Storm's first and only puck in the net.

The boys lost 3-1 to bring the series to a tie with five points for each team. It's do or die on Tuesday, whichever team wins will advance to the next round.

Next, and hopefully not their last game, is Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Minden.

Let's go, Storm!

*Submitted by Jenn Little*

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# SUDOKU

4	5	1				7	2	6
2	7			4		9		
8		6						
5		7		9	3	8		1
	1					2		
9	6				8	5	4	
		9	6	5	1	4		8
	8			2	4	1	7	

Level: Beginner

### Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

5	1	6	2	3	4	9	8	7
2	4	7	5	8	9	6	3	1
9	3	8	7	6	1	4	2	5
1	9	3	9	8	7	2	5	4
7	2	7	6	3	9	5	4	2
8	6	8	2	4	1	5	6	9
3	7	3	6	2	4	1	7	8
8	9	5	6	2	4	1	7	3
3	4	1	8	7	9	2	5	6

ANSWER:

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Last week's answer:

1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12
13					14					15			
16					17					18			
19					20				21	22			
			23			24		25					
26	27	28		29			30				31	32	33
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53	54	55						56			57	58	59
60					61	62	63	64			65		
66					67						68		
69					70						71		

### CLUES ACROSS

1. Jam into  
5. Egypt's capital  
10. Disfigure  
13. Biblical Hamath  
14. Vipera berus  
15. The three wise men  
16. "The foaming cleanser"  
17. Earthquake  
18. Breezed through  
19. South Pacific island  
21. Legal possessors  
23. List of dishes served  
25. Jai  
26. Superhigh frequency  
29. Farm fanatic  
34. Double agents  
36. No (Scottish)  
37. Peninsula off Manchuria  
38. As fast as can be done (abbr.)
39. Apulian city 70121  
40. Talk show host Philbin  
42. USA's favorite uncle  
45. More coherent  
46. PBS drama series  
49. Retirement plan  
50. Be obedient to  
51. French river  
53. \_\_\_ fatale, seductive woman  
56. Made a surprise attack  
60. Winglike structures  
61. Belittle oneself  
65. Department of Troyes France  
66. Mains  
67. Shoe ties  
68. A carefree adventure  
69. Mariner or sailor  
70. Modern chair designer  
71. \_\_\_\_\_ Gin Fizz cocktail

### CLUES DOWN

1. Chew the fat  
2. A prince in India  
3. A Far East wet nurse  
4. Axiom  
5. The frame around a door  
6. Fruit drink  
7. Ugandan Pres. Amin  
8. Real Estate Services  
9. Brass that looks like gold  
10. Nutmeg seed covering spice  
11. River in Austria  
12. Eliminates  
15. Canadian province  
20. Green, Earl Grey and iced  
22. Four ball advancement  
24. Vaseline receptacle  
25. Highest card  
26. Uncion  
27. 1st of the books of the Minor Prophets  
28. Symbols of allegiance  
30. Farm state
31. A citizen of Iran  
32. More dried-up  
33. Alt. spelling for tayra  
35. Perfect examples  
41. One point E of SE  
42. Secretly watch  
43. Three toed sloth  
44. \_\_\_ student, learns healing  
45. Liquid body substances  
47. Act of selling again  
48. Stroke  
52. Selector switches  
53. Speed, not slow  
54. City founded by Xenophanes  
55. Picasso's mistress Dora  
57. Having two units or parts  
58. 2nd largest Spanish river  
59. Delta Kappa Epsilon nickname  
62. The cry made by sheep  
63. Air Chief Marshall  
64. Perceive with the eyes

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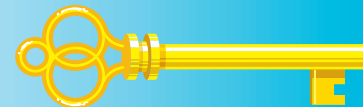
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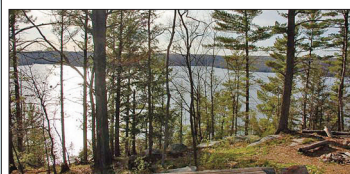
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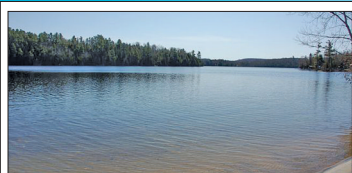
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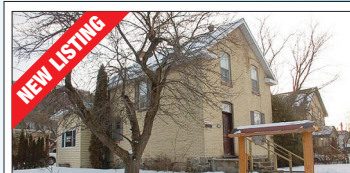
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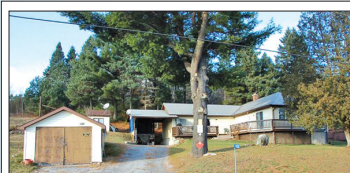
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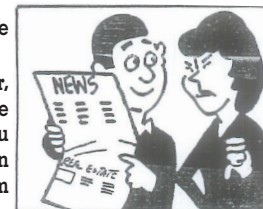
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